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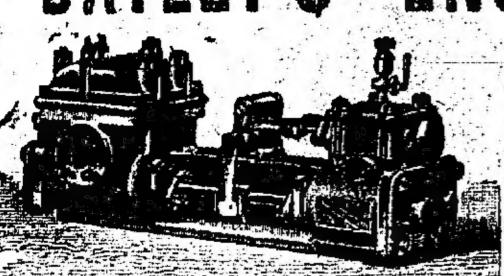
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them to the piles or any part of the works, R. D. ORMSBY, Director of Public Works, Hongkong, 27th April, 1699.

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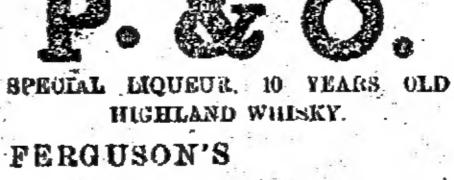
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NTOTION in hereby given that His Hon, the Apting Chief Justice has, in virtue of Scotion 58 of Ordinance No. 3 of 1897, made an Order limiting to the 92nd day of May, 1899, as the time for Oroditors to send in their Claims against the estate of LEUNG MI YU, otherwise LEUNG WAI HING, otherwise LEUNG YEW SHEUNG, late of No. I, Shelley Street, Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, Trader, deceased, who died on or about the Fourth day of April, 1898. at Canton, in the Empire of China, and whose Estate and Effects Letters of Administration with the Will annexed were granted by the Supreme Court of Hongkong in its Probate Jurisdiction on the 24th day of Victoria aforesaid, Gentleman.

Notice is hereby also given that all such Claims are to be sent in in writing to the undersigned prior to the said 22nd day of

ONLY A FEW DAYS LONGER!! are requested to make immediate Payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 22nd day of April, 1899. BRUCE SHEPHERD. Administrator with the Will annexed of the Estate and Effects of Leung Mi Yu, atherroise Lenna Wai Hing, otherwise Leung Yew Sherma, deceased.

No. 525 E.C.

REGULAR MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in the FREE. MARON'S HALL Ketland Street, on MONDAY, the let May, at 8.30 for 8 p.m. precisely. Visiting Bartines are cordially invirue to attend. Hongkong, April 29, 1899.

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Hongkong, April 29, 1899.

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ARRIVALS. April 28,

Guthris, British steamer, 1,495, W. G. McArthur, Kobe April 29, General,-GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Sanuti Maru, Japanese str., 8,799, W. Townsend, London March 18, and Singa-

pore April 29, General.-Nieron Yvara April 20. Kansu, British str., from Canton, Meefoo, Chinese str., from Canton. Produce, Norwegian str., 1,002, Bull,

Singaporo April 20, Timber. - Banden, Wielen & Co. Bingo Maru, Japanoso steamer, 9,870, George E. P. Cook, Bombay April 10, General .-- NIPPON YUSEN KATCHA. Lorent, German steamer, 1,237, Lorenzon, Hongay April 36, Coal. - JARDINE,

DEPARTURES.

April 29. Ballagret, for Europe, &c. Parrematta; for Shanghai, Progress, for Touron. Heidelberg, for Yokohama, Taisung, for Swatow, Tailes, for Singapore, Rosetta, for Yokohama.

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PASSENGERS.

Per Guthrie, from Kobe, Mrs Jackson. Per Sanuki Mari, from London, &c., Ladies Lo (2), Masters Lo (2), Messra Lo-Tse Ying, Wei Lien, T. H. Glover, Phillips, Mordaunt, Mr and Mrs Noronha and family, Mesers P. de Hees, K. de Hees,

J. Cox, Takano, and 230 Chinese. Per Bingo Maru, from Bombay, Mrs M Jewell, family (2) and nurse, Mrs Efford, child and nurse, Major Yui, I.J.A., and 1

Singapore, Licut. F. G. Hendley, Captain W. Thwaites, R.A., Messrs E. Jooma and Rattanji ; for Marseilles, Messrs M. Nararro, T. Zarazona, T. Arriaga, Z. Preciado, T. Urbernaga, and T. Briones; for Brindisi, Mr F. S. Bennett; for London, Mr and Mrs Hagan, Mr and Mrs J. W. Bailey, Mr. J. Thomson, Mr and Mrs C. S. Moore and 2 children, Messra Richmond, Creelman, Ashworth, Master Gunr. W. H. Colombo, Mr W. Cox; for Marseilles, Mrs. 12.30 and 4 p.m. Hawett; for London, Mr H. K. Hiller, Mrs Hiller and 2 children, Mr and Mrs C. M. Dally, Mr R. J. McGowan, Rev. C. H. Parsons, Mr and Mrs Jas, Stark, Mr. and Mrs Broomball, Rev. and Mrs Cousen and 3 children. From Yokohama : for Verandah facing Queen's Road. Singapore, Mr and Mrs Mertens; for Colombo, Mr W. Moxon; for London, Mr. and Mrs O. Ward. From Kobe : for Mar-

SHIPPING REPORTS.

The British steamer Guthric reports Moderate N.E. winds and fine weather Goods not cleared by the 5th Proximo, from Rokuren Islands to Haeshin Islands; thence to Turnsbout, foggy; Turnsbout to arrival, fresh to moderate monsoon- and

The Japanese steamer Bingo Maru reports : Experienced fine weather through-MONDAY, the 8th Proxime, both days at 10 out; variable winds to Paracel Bank; thence fresh N.E. winds to port. April All Claims must reach the undersigned 20th, spoke Brit. cruiser name (unknown), before the 8th Proximo, or they will not be for West apparently Colombo, in lat. 6° N., recognised. long. 89° E.; 24th, spoke Hiroshima Maru, from Hongkong, for Singapore, off Malacca Straits ; 27th, spoke N. D. Lloyd u.s., from Hongkong, for Singapore, off Malacca Straits; 28th, spoke American ship, from Hongkong, for South, in lat. 20" N., long.

> POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close:-For CANTON .-

Per Pointe, at 9 n.m., on Sunday, the 30th April. For YOKOHAMA Per Shartle Most, at 9 a.m., on Bunday, the 30th April

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For MANILA.-Por Diamante, at 2 p.m., on Monday, the 1st May. Per Yuansang, at S p.m., on Wednes-day, the ard May.

For BANDARAN. Per Mauring, at 2 p.m., on Monday, the let May. For SINGAPORE, PENANG & CAL Per Kutimus, at ocon, on Tuesday, the 2nd May. For PORT DARWIN, THURSDAY IS

LAND, COOKTOWN, TOWNS VILLE BRISBANE, SYNDEY & MELBOURNE Per Guthrie, at 2 p.m., on Tuesday, the 2nd May. For MOJI, ROBE, YOROHAMA PORTLAND OR

Per Monmoutheldre, at 11 a.m., on

Saturday, the 6th May.

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET .-The United States Mail Packet China will be despatched on TUES On Yokohama-DAY, the 2nd May, with Mails for Shanghal, Japan, San Francisco, Gold Leaf, 100 fine, (per taul) the United States, Canada, Honolula, Peru, &c., which will be closed as Silver (per on)

10 00 A.M. Registry ceases. 11.00 A.M. Post Office closed, but Correspondence may be posted on board the Packet with Late Fee of 10 cents extra Postage until the time of departure.

MAILS BY THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAIL-WAY CO.'S PACKET .-The Canadian Pacific Mail Packet Empress

Canadian, &c., which will be closed as 10.00 A.M. Registry ceases.

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THE Kobe Obroviole comments as follows on the proclamation lasted by the U.S. Commissioners to the Filipino people :- The preclamation is a fair ofter to the people of Aurojo w Mail left Tokohama on the Philippines, and if for years to come Monday, the 24kl April; at daylight on ye parties it can be hade good. the and may be expected here on of about a public may specified themselves whether bunday, the 20th April; s Imperial Garman Mail and Penastra in Angle Assist for An Independence that with the Cassian Mail left Simpapare winth mot be their for a twelvemonth, on Thursday, the 27th April at here. light, and may be expected bese on or they are not throwing away the aubstance

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At the last meeting of the Committee of the Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce, the Hon. J. J. Ball Irving tondered his w signatio ; us he is about to leave for Home. The Chairman expressed the to gret of the members at losing Mr Bell Irving's services, and wished him a pleasant passage Home and a good time when he got there.

THE hearing of the charge of assault brought by F, da Cruz against two Portuguese named Gosano and Thomas, was resumed to-day at the Magistracy. Impecture Cuthbert gave evidence that, on 25th April, the two defendants came to No. 7 Police Station, in company with the complainant, who was intoxicated, and wished to charge do Oruz with assault. The Magistrate discharged the defendants.

A CORRESPONDENT Writes to us as follows. -The South Sea yarn with reference to the so-called 'Copre King' is interesting inasmuch as it is a yarn, though a rather not well-spun one. The Carolines are distant about five days by stoum from A anila. The principal island of the group is called Yap, and is(or was till the late war) under Spanish rule, being controlled by a G vernor and Garrison from Spain. The island in a great deal bigger than Hong. ring, and is surrounded by minor islands, among which figure Terang, Ohl, Pokel and Dunis, none of which is very much larger than Green Laland here These four islands situated in Yan Harbour are the allaged property of the Copys Hing. His residence is on the first named (commonly P. Maders, b Ness guowe among the other traders as the "Hell of the Carolines." It is here his native wife roles augrems duping his absade at more abrowdness as also has proverbial animosity for all the other Eq. topean traders, or employees of the South des trader. It is on this island of Torang that he keeps the man of his bartering stores, as also the Copre Wolch he Britis in his schooner Santa Ortic which, by the way, generally sails under the Stare and Stripes, from the paighbouring islands The island of Dunit was until recently in the bands of a German firm doing a good business in the Copys Trade. It passed over to His Majesty's grip some two years ano when Hermann Grosser, one of the ferred to, came out to settle the necessary The murmur gleefully went round transfer papers. The other two islands are unimportant. The island of St. David is not in this group, but in the Polew Is To be the representative of our Most Gra lands more to the South. It is to this Island that Hollan I lays claim. The Copra King has been among these islands for quite a long time, and many of the traders in his employ must look forth to the happy day when either the United States or Great Britain will assume control of this inter-

esting group.

Cassell's Salurday Journal is always bright and interesting reading and in the chatter interviews with notabilities instructive opi nions are presented in a very attractive form. In this month's issue of this popular periodical Professor Max Muller gives it as his ominion that athletics are indulged fur to freely nowadays. Like wite, ever cise is excellent in moderation, but you can The most flagrant, wretched blunder that have too much of it. It is the fashion a universities to devote half a dev to rive and field sports, which is pure waste of rab. You are not the port of Governor that we value time. Three hours a day in the open air ought to be enough for any man. Just na I knew men who would sit down to dinner with two bottles of port before them, so it is with athletic eretoine. you accustom yourself to a quantity you When I recall the many brilliant men who were undergraduates during my time-I have been here fifty one yests-I find that most of them wors hard murkers. -Admiral Six John Dalayonhie Hay, who accompaished some excellent work ou the China Station, observes with regard to the Navy as a profession . What other profession is there in which a boy of thirteen and a half—even the son of a labourer in As for you. Sir Slewart Lockbart, you are rated a man at eighteen and given employment until he is twenty-eight with the opportunity of re-colleting, if his confector I to her best harders in give Lockbar is good, and serving until he is shirty four d and again until he say incir pines to the says and again until he say incir pines to the says and again until he say incir pines to the says and again until he say incir pines to the says and again until he say incir pines to the says and again until he say incir pines to the says and again until he say incir pines to the say incir pines to t ly ratiring on a comfortable penalon of £50 a year No man in the storid bot a pl one, and there is the committy of act

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COPPER RING IN THE UNITED

An enormous rise has taken place in the value of copper, due to an American ring. The rise has dislocated the trade of Bir-

MR GOSOHKN ON AFFAIRS. Mr Goschen, speaking at a banquet of the Mechanical Engineers, said that the spressage of Europe was much more tranduil than it was a few months ago, that Great Britain had made friendly souls ments with Germany and France, and hoped before long to make one with

MORE FIGHTING AT SAMOA Fighting has been renewed at Apis be tween large bodies of friendlies and recels

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THE PILIPINOS TRY TO TARRET TERMS.

MAJOR GENERAL OTIS IS VIRM REBEL POSITION HOPELESS. (Appelal Integram From Unit Oran Correspondent.)

Marria, April 29, 3.45 p.m. The Filipian envoys of Prosident Aguinaldo, as representing the Republican Government of the Philippines, have saked Major General Elwall S. Otia, the U.S. Governor-General, to proclaim a cessation of heatilities for a period of three weeks, to enable the Filipines to assemble their Convention to discuss the situation and determine whether they should continue to fight or propose terms for the basis of a treaty of peace.

Major-General Otis replied to this proposal with a point-blank refusal, declining to discuss terms with the Filipinos. He offered an amnesty to all political offenders who had taken up arms against the United States Government, but stipulated that it must be a complete surrender.

Reports received here from the reboi lines show that the position of the robels in the vicinity of Apalit is absolutely hopeless, Major General MacArthur assailing their lines on the front whilst Major General Lawton's division mengosa their flank,

THE U.S. COMMISSONERS PROCLAMATION.

THE ALLEGED VERDIOT OF THE FILIPINO PEOPLE.

We publish, below, the following extract from the Singapore Free Press, the recognized mouthpiece of the Filipine Junta of Hongkong. In view of the proposals made by General Luna for an equistion to disputs terms of peace (vide Special Telegram from Manila to Chino Mod last night), the high-sounding phrases of the Junts appear rather incongruous, not to Bay ridiculous. There is a touch of grim humour in the sentence: All representative Filipinos necessarily absent from Manua assisting strougle for independence. If this is so, then President Aguinaldo, the brave patrict; General Luna, and the remainder of the Malolos Republican Government are the morest puppets. Thu has been asserted from time to time, but indignantly denied by Representative Filipinos - and others : but at last we are getting at the truth. The Representative Filipinos evidently know on what side their bread is buttered. It is pleasanter junketting in the capitals of Europe-Paris is by no means a bad place for a holiday -or partaking of the pleasures of life in Hongkong than skulking from hamlet to hamlet or jungle to jungle in the Philippine Islands. That is good enough for

the deluded rank and file, but not for Representative Filipinoa. For our own part, we trust the Filipinos who are bearing the hardships now realise the hopelessness these were minor matters and were of struggling against the American forces, and that the leading men in the Philip pines, in the interests of the poor sui Commissioners all the help they can to restore peace and prosperity to the unhappy Islands :-

The following is the text of a powerful telegram sent through Hongkong about week ago to London and New York to the Associated Press (code address Advertiser.') on the subject of the recent Proclamation of the Philippine Commissioners to the Filipinos. It will be seen that these are not disposed to be decrived by a dooument that provides a mass of vague assurances for the future, but is careful practically to endorse the action of President McKinley in his efforts to destroy the orderly administration erected at Malolo by the Filipino people in constituent assembly convoked, and to deny the claim of the race to any individual political rights auperior to those of the negro before President Lincoln's decree of emancipation. The determination of the Filipino people to expend their lives in defence of their liberties remains absolutely unshaken. We aubjoin the text of the telegram exactly as

passed over the cables : Hongkong, 12th April, 1899.

Advertiser, London. Proclamation issued by American Commis sioners Manila is as indefinite and offensive as Otis' proclamation fourth January answorld by Aguinaldo's two counter proclamations protesting against American duplipity and neurpation. Commissioners pro- deal of the rumance of Sister Theresa, the clamation tissue generalities bristles with num who married to save her companions sector can do this the state of the most distributed by the state of the state of the story, according to which the married hausted being tired of promises. Had sur- ex-abbess no sooner got to Egyptian terrifeit Spanish promises similar American. This proclamation proves fair promises in- take sanctuary with her children in a conhans best fire the kinds on the dependence protectorate, and McKibleya vent, has, however, been quite spoiled by the Contact of declaration objects Spanish war only humdrum facts of history. Sister Theresa, transfer It is mideistors that Mr | make of humanitarianism cover real in- as she was, or Mme. Caracalombo as she is, moden allocated taxano M. E. Ruster . | tantions Commissioners invitation repre- now lives with her husband in Cairo, where the beant. We septative Filipinos meet them exchange their marriage has been 'regularised' de la Company of the person of the separate principles and long as the ecclesiastical authorities. conclusioners at the wall had been them best lines continue. All representative Filiderect the the Constitute of Cards in the Continue of Cards in the Cards of not because expect complete victory but every day and no smart drawing room is emphasize shoir rights protest against ruth- really considered complete without its patiinvestories Emphatically deny aims once tables and the little silver cases hold-American povernment misinterpreted. Otis ing the ministure packs. The Queen is a proclams to shewed aims vicarly Also great patience player, and when she travels denvise the sole present Philip Always has her pack of cards and table laid sold by State Planters positively Americally for her. Some people may consider the sold by the sold by the sold bear an 'old maid's' game, but

temperature of freedom and proving milene by order inout of tweet city unde te idministration, its humans treatment of strongers and its self control pudge trying resentations, that it's not movereby of resentation. Helieve Philippine people i afforded apportunity would give as good as recount of themselves and their country the Japanese, Fress and Triggraph asset Americans intended want autonom should promptly desiare intention const deventaring country, williamiliaton proplamation high wounding but extreme lisappointing | promise to guarantee Filipings honest and effective Civil Service imusing, for in States no Civil Bervice manned with permanent officials, shows experienced colonial administrators. Fi pince decline to be experimented upon assert complete ability administer country

FRAGRANT WATERS MURMUI That the statements, the rumours, and opinions made and given out in print and by word of mouth concerning the Kowloon Extension Hotch Potch, would puzzle the clearest head, while they certainly sicken the stoutest heart.

themselves.

That were it not for the almost hopeless muddle into which the attempts to take over the new territory have landed us, and the serious aspect which has thereby been presented to Britishers w formerly believed in British administration as an artible of their political creed. the thing would be amusing.

about the anomaly of the practical and persistent disgrace of the most powerful nation on the carib (or the sea) at the hands of the feeblest and most rotten governmental system of the universe. hat these may be large words, but they

are felt to be true by nearly every realdent in Hongkong and the China sesboard,

That the ratepayers of Hongkong, I presums, will be called upon to pay for the a single serious casualty, in which she Chinose Viceroy was 'caviou his lace,' and Greek Britain was having her tast blackened in accordance with the deerest dosire of the Chinese official.

That the insens or unreasonable stretching of this ! bolstering policy, followed by the Home Government, in maintaining the integrity of the Chinese Government -a thing which never lad any integrity to preserve—is, to my mind, the initial blunder in the Hoteli-Potob, or Irish Stew, now presented.

That admirers of Governor Blake bolievers in the guiding power of Mr Commissioner Lockhart entertained a faint hope that something prompt and vigorous would have been recommended after the butchering of the Commissioner's man, for treeting official placards.

That in the palmy days of old Pam, such proceedings as those enacted on the Hinterland would have produced a war, something very like it. That we now have a scribbler auggesting that the effect of insultaning

our distrity and soif-respect as a nation. (or as a Colony) might have produced . That if we as a nation are to go on keeping up our immense powers of offence, or defence, why should we not use them?

Phat this is one of the createst copun drams of the situation. hat there is another conundrum, and it is said to be centred in the existence two Land Companies, or Syndicates, whose interests in some way or other are said to clash with those of the ignor-

ant villagera. That from what I have heard, and from well advised to appoint an independent Commission to inquire into the connection between land purchases and the Kowloon War.

That I could name several leading men who ought not to be called upon to sit upon such a Commission, but my humble advice will not, of course, be maked. That Sir Henry Blake can get independent men in the Service to do this thing, and

I once more say it ought to be done. That the Volunteer Corps has never been in a more efficient condition here than i is now for thirty years past. That the addition of a Scotch Company would no doubt strengthen the Corps, but some tact must be shown as to the

way in which this supplemental strength should be attached. That there seems to be a doubt whether the new addition should form a new and distinct unit, or should only add to the

Maxim strength That there can be very little doubt as to the greater usefulness of the Maxim conpapies over any infantry company. That while a Volunteer may ment must

Maxim sections would be of much pure being second. The times were :use than those of more infantry without the death-dealing Maxims; in a place like Hongkong. That, considering what the Hongkong Vo- Princess. 4 lunteers have done and looking to what

they are able to do, every resident ought to wish them 'God-Speed,' and hope that they will go on and prosper,

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CORRESPONDENCE

HOW TO RECOGNIES A JUNTA To the Editor of the 'CRIMA MAIL Honghong, April 28.

Sin I am very rivoud of the fact that am able to answer ! Inquirer's question m Who or what is a Philippine Junta am not supplied that the gentle inquirer should be purered as to what this stronge naticultan is that has creat into our midst, and become a part of our body politic. In fact, during the early part of American Spanish war I thought the Hong. kong Junta, to which the home papers so continually referred, was a fresh addition to the Zoological Department of the Botanical Gardons. I asked a Policeman on Queen's Road one day if he could direct me to the Hongkong Junta, looked a bit frightened for a moment, and teplied. 'Go way wid you, did you take me or a dynamiter?' According to Webster there is " Junta, and a 'Junto.' 'Junta' is described as 'A grand council of State in Spain.' A 'Junto' is 'A select council which deliberates in secret s collection of men combined for secret intrigue a faction; a calad. A Junto is illustrated in the definition by a stanza from Thom-

The puzzling sons of party next appeared In dark cabals and mighty Juntos met. Hongkong has much to be proud of in being the possessor of a bonn file 'Junto. They are quite the fushion in Enrope and America, London, Paris, New York and Tall-Puddle; all have their Juntos. Any town that has any ambition to see its name immortalized by the Singapore Free Press should form a Junto It is not a difficult That it is dreary work to go on writing or expensive undertaking, judging from the class of individuals it is alleged make up the much-boomed Hongkong Junto. And for one out of a job, I cannot think of a more enviable position than head of the Department of Publicity and Promotion o a good healthy Junto. Of courses there i always that disquicting Ordinance No. 8 or 1882 hanging over one's devoted head, but that is only a detail after all. While I am answering Inquirer's questions, would like to ask the Editor i it is true that our proud local Junto is pro-

paring to give Admital Dewey a public demonatration as he passes through Hongkong on his way to America. If it is, Konicon War -a war without apparently I want the No. 1 Boy of the Junto will not overlook the moreantile community in sending out its invitations. I am an admirer of Juntos - Yours.

DON MOLOLOS

HONGKONG YACHT CLUB BACE FOR MB MITCHELL'S PRINCE AND PINAL CLUB RACE.

April 23, 1899. The boats were favoured with another strong breeze for the final race for the Championship and the Maid Marian again shewed most romarkable qualities and soored another win. The course was - From the Police Pier, Kowloon, twice round to port Channel Rocks and Meyer's East Marian, Phabe, Erica, Sybil, Chanticleer, and Bonito; B Class, 1:30 p.m.-Princess, Dort; Pagne and Ladybird.

The boats generally had two reefs, but it one or two cases three reefs were considered about right for the strength of wind. Shortly before the start the Chanticker's capped lier considerably in the first beat to lady Channel Rocks. Erica and Chanticleer made a long tack into Hunghom Bay and got left by the Maid, Bonito and Active. The wind was too much for Phabe and Sybil, and they gave up soon after crossing the line at the start. The Maid arrived at Channe Rocks with a 4 minutes' lead of Bonito, Erica being about a minute after her, with Active and Chanticleer at intervals of what I know, the Governor would be near the Channel Rocks the second time, when the wind got lighter and reefs were shaken out by many of the beats, and Chanticleer passed Active. In rounding Meyer's huoy the last time Erica got

the boats to the finish. Mitchell's Maid Marian 3 20 A class prize Erica 3 26 18 Chaptioleer. 3 30 12

Active 3 35 17 The total marks made during the season were 55 by the Erica, which secures the Championship by the narrow margin of 5 points; the Maid Marian taking the second season's cup with 50 points; Chanticleer being third with 42. The next in order was the Bonito with 17; then

Subil 14, Active and Meteor, 1 each. In the 'B' Class the Payne went exceed. be granted a certain oneum of freedom ingly well in the hard weather and came of choice, it appears to me the Scotch in an easy winner in her class, the Princess

(10 marks, first, and Mr Mitchell's B class prize. 4 marks, second. 1 mark, third. Ladybird 4 The first and second prizes now lie

tweep the Ladybird with 55 points and the Paynerwith 53 points, there being one race to be resailed. The race for Mr Mitchell's prizes were handicaps. Erica and Maid Mariem in the

olass allowing Chanticleer 15 sec., Phabe 4.30, Bonito 5.30, Sybil 6 minutes and Actire 8.30 and Ladybird in the B class allowing Payme 1.30, Dart 2, and Princess 4 mi-

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There is a story told in a recent number of Cornhill that Marryatt would have enjoyed. It was in Malta Harbour, in a sultry day, that a four-toot-eight soldshipman came to join his first sea-going ship. Having duly reported himself to the Captain—an officer some oft. 2in .- the latter, literally looking down upon the boy, said :-Well, youngster, so you've come to join

Yes, if you please, air, meekly respond ed the midshipman. What is it-same old yarn, sent the fool of the family to sea -eh? No. sir, ingenuously replied the youngter a ob no, things have altered since your

Go away I rosted the Captain, and the might flow below as fast as his little i

The following jutha report of the General Managers for the year anding the Blas December, 1898, for prosentation to the Shareholders at the fourteenth annual ordinary general meeting of the Compan (sings its registration) to be held at the Hongkong Dispensary on Monday, the 8th May, at twelve colnok, man ! -

To the Shareholders of A. S. Watson Co. Limited. Gentlemen .- We now beg to lay before you a statement of the Company's business. with a Balance Sheet for the year suding the Slat December, 1898,

The Not Profits of the Company for the twelve months under review, after paying all charges, including General Management and providing for all bad, and doubtfu debts, and with the addition of \$9,239 01 brought forward from last year, amoun From this there has been written

off for Depreciation of furniture, Fittings, Utensils of Trade, Machinery and Build-

Leaving an available balance of \$95,317.8 We paid an Interim Dividend of 5 per cent. in November last, absorbing 930,000 0 And we now propose to pay a further Dividend of 6 per

the year) which will absorb ... 38,000,00

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cent, (making 11 per cent, for

Permanent Reserve Fund with the addition of \$25,000 as above will stand at 2125,000. Reserve Fund to meet Contingencies or for the Equalization of Dividends

romains at \$25,000 ar beretofore. The Company's At Aunts in London have been audited by Mesara Hopps, Banhart and Warmington, Chartered Accountants, and those at the Head Office by Mr Francis Maitland. The buginess of the Company continue

to be of a progressive and astisiactory Jony D. Huntungen & Son, General Managers. Hongkong, 27th April, 1809.

WEDDING IN YOROHAWA. Harriage of Mire Wheeled and Mil.

MURBAY. Christ Church, says the Japan Herald was the seems on Wednesday afternoon one of the most popular and fashionable weddings which have of recent yours heer solemnised within its walls, the contracting parties being Miss Mary Wheeler, and Mr George Coneyo Murray, of the Koto branch of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation. Barely has a marriage taken place in Yokohame under more favourable auspices. The aprivalled popularity and which the father mother of the bride enjoy would have served to arouse of the foreign community in an their daughter, and when, in addition Buoy 1 13 miles. The following boats to that circumstance, both the bride and started :- A Class, 1.15 p.m. -Active, Maid bridegroom individually share so largely in is it that the dite of this community growded Christ Church to its utmost capacity

so by the surceable weather which seemed to have been specially reserved for the occasion in view of the climatic conditions obtaining on the previous day. nall jib was blown to rage, which handi- Special care had been devoted by the received, an' whether they taught us how friends of the artistic decoration of the interior of the collars, or recited original puthry to us, we Church, which appeared to the best advan- | had a brotherly feelin' for them that mad tage. The pieces de resistence were bridal us say: Poor fallows thy to doin the wreaths and cherry blossoms, which made | heat they can. So, Bays they, come ter a most attractive setting for the chancel our ar-run an together well go out an screen, and the entrances to the pews. to: gether with the baptiamal fant and other

available points of vantage, were similarly The entrance of the bridal party was signalised by an introductory fanfare from the organ, at which Mr J. T. Griffin presided, the music being his own composi- now ast in to supper-an sarched at the minutes after. This order was kept up to tion. The bride, who was escorted by her dure f'r deedly weepins. We'll have to father, looked very charming, and the bevy of bridesmaids, of whom there were seven. with two little pages, helped to make a decidedly pretty picture. The bride were a magnificent white satin dress, with a very pass th' Ph-lippeons !" or No, thank ye long court train, quite plain in design, with in a chemisette of white chiffon and a long front of Bonito and a quick run brought white tulle veil and orange blossoms. Mrs. Wheeler, the mother of the bride, looked remarkably well. Her dress was of groen satin striped with tiny stripes of gold thread, a cream satin chiffon chemisette, and she wore a green bonnet with turquoise blue trimming. The dress itself was ornamented with jewel trimming. Among the bridesmaids, the post of maid of honour was allotted to Miss Rice, and the other bridesmaids were Miss Lloyd Thomas, Miss Nins Smith, Miss E. Poole, Miss Dorothy James, Miss Winnie Mitchell; and Miss Madeline Mollison. Their dresses were composed of pale green satin, trimmed with white chif- | hold | -Peley Dunne in Chicago Journal. fon. The skirts were plain, with draped bodies, puffed chemisettes and sashes at the

side of white chiffon. They wore Leghorn picture hats trimmed with white plumes and chiffon, and each carried a white shower bonquet of orchids and roses, and wore gold brooch of shamrock and thistle, -emblematical of the nationality of the bride and tridegroom - artistically entwined with true lovers' knots, these ornaments being the gift of the bridegroom. The two little piges were Masters Clarence Parsons and Ewen Steele, both dressed in Highland costume, which gave them a suitably picturesque appearance. The bridegroom was supported by Mr W. Reid, of the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, as best man, and the groomsmen were Messrs F. J. Hall, H. W. Fraser, J. McAnthur, and F. J. Lina. The coremnny was conducted by the Rev. E. C. Irwine, the bride being given away by her father. At its close, the party having retired into the vestry, the organist gave & spirited rendering of the bridel march from Lohengrin, followed by Mendelssohn's Wedding March, as the newly-wedded couple. loft the Church and en'ered their carriage. Inter in the afternoon a reception was | bored. held at the private residence of Dr and Mrs Wheeler, No. 07 Bluff, where, in accordance with the time-honoured observance; the Rev. Mr Irwine proposed the health of the bride and bridegroom, which was suitably acknowledged by the latter, and Mr for him ever since Reid then proposed the health of the bridesmaids. His Honour Judge Wilkinson, in a feeling speech, proposed the health of Dr and Mrs Wheeler, the Doctor briefly responding. The guests were

some sense tangible evidence of the respect

and friendship fult for Drand Mrs. Wheeler

the honeymoon.

ACTO BURDELORIES TOUR MEDITATIONS OF MARKET MORES OF THE MISSION OF THE DISTINGUISMEN PROLINE ADMINAL.

"I see us th' parapara said Mr Dooley. that Lord Charles Beresford is in our mist, an Hogan says,

'An' who th' divviou ba! seked his Honnessy.

He's a Watherford man, said Mr Dooley. I knowed his father well-a markess be threde au's fine man. Charles wint to see early, but he's now in th' plasthering business—cemintin' th' 'lleance iv th' United States an' England. I'l thank ye to laugh at me joke, Misther Himnissy, an' not be standin' there lookin' like

a Chinnyman in a athrest-car. I don't know what ye mean, said Mr Hennessy, softly.

"Lord Charles Beresford is a sort if advance-agent iv th' White Man's Borden Thrajeedy C mpany-two little Evan four

hundhred millyon Topsion, six hundhred millyon Uncle Toms. He's billin' th' vous try fer th' threeyumphal tour iv th' Monather Aggregation. Nawthin can stop it. Blood is thicker than wather, an together, ar train-ar-rm, we'll spread th' light is olvilisation fr'm wan ind iy th' wurrld to th' other no matter what you an' Schwartzmeister say,

Be hiving, I like th' way me kingman acrost th' sea, as th' pa-apers may, threat us'. 'Ye whelps, says Lord Charles Beresford an' Boodyard Kipling an Tiddy Resentelt an' th' other Anglo Saxons, 'Foolish an' frivolous people, chasp but thrue-hearted an' insincere cousing they says, - Tig little re knew about andre thing. Ye are a disgreed to humanity. Ye love th' dollar better thin re love annything but two dollars. Year-remy says but inthreating. To mismams our daine. Yo use the erool King Jorgenson instead iv the ca'm and panthrath Los Methods Yo king yo're seroes an give thin were ruok to do | we am wh in their hate an llivate thim to the peerage. To have the trayed our language. Ye ar-re rouldly converting our amouthers palaces into dwellin' houses. Yo're morals are loose, ye're dhrinks ar-re enervatin' but pless int. an' ye talk through your noses. Ye area mussy at th' table, an' ye have no religion. But your re wholes iv th' of line. Those iv ye that ar re not out brothers in-law wawste. come as brothers. Ys annoy as so much remust be inimisers iv our own family. The same people that is washed occasionally to lesissippi as it rowis maistic along. th' imperryal States is Checho an Dulath wathrin the festyle plains iv Wyoming an Mattachnotacts, in to be found aroun a living on the short but for more dirtien Thaniess We have th' same lithrichior. Ye r-read our Shakespears so we can't undherstand it an we rered ye're aspirin long before the hour appointed for the authors-Pos, and Lewell, and Ul Slouth nuptial ceromony. Society turned out in the Detective. We ar re not on familyer its best, and was hannily encouraged to do with ye're inthrestin history. We aver as pr-roud as ye ar re ly the achievominta iv Gin-ml Shafter an Gin ral Coter Ye're embassidors have always been kindly

> conquer this warruld. 'An we're goin' to do it. Hinnisty Th' raycoiption that this here an iment has revered from tery wan deat has a war in collection is almost tumulohuse We feel like a long-lest brother that's been setting outside in th' cold fr a week sa' in set up etraight an mind our manners. tuckin our napkins down our throats for dhrinkin' out iv th' asucer, or kickin our hoots off undher th' table. Nor-reaching f'r annything, but "Esh, will to kindle

pah, help ye ersilf first. An will we stry in ? Faith I dinner. We feel kindly to each other, but ib looks to me like th' first up in th' morning the first away with the valu bles. 'I'll niver come in, protested Fr Hen-

nessy, stoutly. No more ye will ye robelyin amedhan, said Mr Dooley. An twee thinkin" iv you an' th' likes iv you an Schwartameister an' th' likes it him that med me wonther. If th' lieance got into a war with Garmany an some wan wan to start a rough an' tumble in Ireland about iliction time I wondher wad the comint

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but you're are amusing. God was resting after Creation. A voice reached Him, on high. It was roice of complaint. The World is beautiful, O God, said

Boyd, you're maybe no vera instructive.

the voice, but But what? It is very uninteresting. Then there was a yawn. Then a more. The man had gone to sleep, unutternity

'I will make it interesting for him. God, with a smile. The Man awoke. He naw Woman by his And things have been made interesting

· ACTED LIKE A CHARM ATR J. HARRY WATERS WATER also given an opportunity of viewing the it. Master, Station Beacold and numerous splendid presents, which were in Figure, says. I regard Character the Pein Beim at a street tracket medicine. Have som it tent to and their daughter by both foreigners and Theumatism, and ours on a Japanese. It should be added that the scalded foot, and in sech of bridegroum's gift to the bride included an the Pain Baim school sta emerald and diamond rive, and many other. Every use who di clegan) articles in allver. At the close of Bake always, the the paper pair left annual about the case of the company pair left annual about the case of the case the inevitable shower of rice and mood - Cramming The for Nilson Viero Large Village

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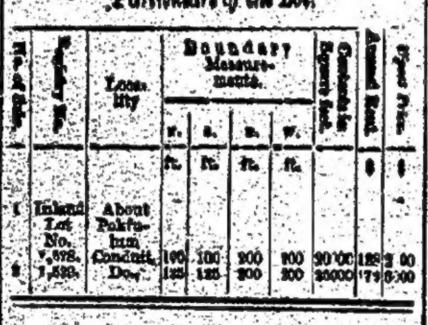
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M rine Insurances .- China Traders have been sold and are offering at \$60. are firmer with small sales at 844. Fire Insurances, -- Small cales of Chip Fires have been effected at 882

Shipping, - Hongkong, Canton Macao Stenboats have suffered a decline and have been placed at \$29. China have stiffened and have been fixed at rates up to . 70. Douglas Steamship have reacted slightly and have been sold \$55. Star Ferries are a shade easier but are stendy at \$14.

Refineries -China Sugars are easier owing to a few shares offering for the set tlement, and have been fixed at \$167. Mining .- Punjoms have been in demand and have been taken off the market at 87, 87.15 add \$7.25: Jelebus have been in strong request and have been placed at rates between 885 and \$10. Raubs have THE Filipinos political mission in Paris been sold at \$67, \$571 and \$58. Docks, Wharest and God was -Hong-

at 325 and 327 per cent, premium and close with buyers at 329 per cent, premium. Linds Hotels and Buildings.—Hong governing. The religious title question cong Lands have improved their position was one of the principal incentives to the kong Lands have improved their position and have been done at 870; \$791 880. Kowloon Lands are wanted at \$23. Hong- that the Americans would continue the kong Hotels have been sold at \$78 and Spanish monks' system of squeezing con-878t, and are now wanted at 279. Humphray's Edates have been done at 891. China Providents have been negotiated at

89.90 and \$10. Cotton Mills - There is no business to report in stocks under this heading. Interto sharsholders giving particulars and exthese accounts will now be increased by about Tis 46,000 f shares have dropped in consequence and most of the other mills have since weakened sympathy.

Miscellanous - Green Islands Coments have found buyers at \$941 and \$241. Wateuns have changed hands to a considerable extent at \$15. Electrics are a shade easier and have been gold at \$112. Fenwicks are enquired for at \$34.

THE CURRENCY COMMITTEE

LONDON, April 10 The second volume of evidence taken efore the Currency Committee has been

Lord Northbrook deprecated the reopening of the Mints, which would increase taxation and this would be unwise and dangerous, and he arged that sovereigns made legal render in India with the fr mintege of gold. He also selvocated Imperial grant for the purpose of maki the gold standard effective.

b esars Cheetham and Graham, m chants, advocated the reopening of the Mints which would ultimately steady e change. In their opinion a gold standar was desirable but was impracticable. Mesers David Cruickshank and Ruston jes described the disadvantages which he

arisen through closing the dints and far oured a gold standard at fourteen pence. Sir Alexander Mackenzie declared th the reopening of the Mints would necess tate a considerable increase of taxation i volving the risk of disturbances Sir Robert Giffen condemned the closing

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Mr Romesh Dutt criticised the currency policy of Government and favoured letting the rupee sink to bullion value. In his opinion the ceople of India did not desire

a gold standard Sir John Lubbock said a gold standard was impossible without a gold currency which was not suitable to India. He favoured maintaining the value of the rupee by the imposition of a heavier import duty on silver. With this and the seignorage it might be possible to re-open the Mints. Mr Robert Barchy, President of the Manchester Chamber of Commerce, said the proposal to Government by Mr A. M. Lindsay aimed at upholding exchange and ignored the interests of the people. He urged the re-opening of the Mints with concurrent mintage by America at the rate of

forty-two pence per ounce. Lord Farrer said that bimetallism as a solution of the question was impracticable and the reopening of the Mints would be injurious to trade and ruinous to the finances. He advocated a gold standard with an automatic currency based on gold and having a fixed gold value. The only sound foundation of a gold standard is convertibility. He also thought it desirable

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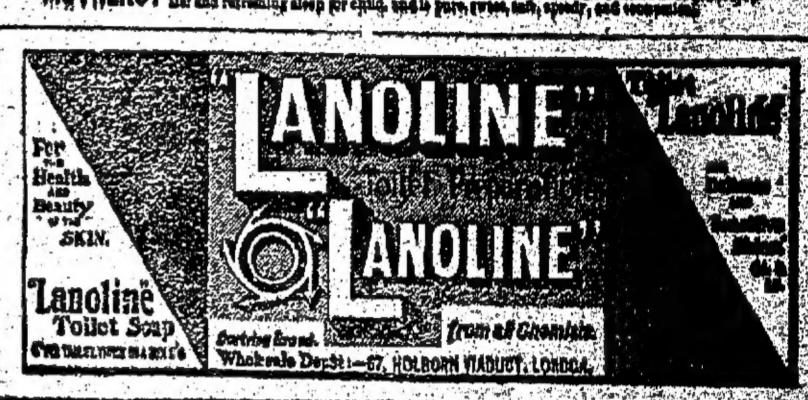


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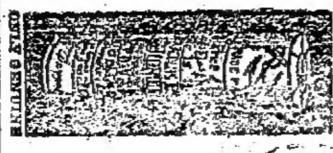
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